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THE Washington Republican, the recognized organ of the administration, sees breakers ahead, and warns its party that it must cease "obeying the orders of the great corporate interest."

GOVERNOR HAMILTON'S clap-trap about pensioning every man who served in the Union army is characterized in the Galena Press as "the cheap way in which a cheap man attempts to acquire a cheap popularity on which to slide into another term as Governor."

THE Philadelphia Record says: "Wages in England are small enough, heaven knows, but they are 30 per cent higher than they were before the adoption of the present free-trade policy in that country. Protection does not protect labor."

IN speaking of the Fitz John Porter case, which is now claiming a good share of the attention of congress, the St Louis Post Dispatch says: "Thus far the best lift Porter has had was that Keifer called him a coward in his speech last week The country is ready to believe that any one whom Keifer blackguards must be a decent sort of fellow."

THE Detroit Free Press says that nine out of ten of the ex-soldiers of that city are sympathizers with Gen. Fitz John Porter, and anxious to see him vindicated Four fifths of the country are with him, but public sentiment has thus far been baffled by the malice of a half-dozen men like John A. Logan, the great Illinois grammarian.

OUR republican friends appear to be greatly worried over the fact that the Ohio democrats preferred Hon H B Payne, for United States senator, to Hon George H Pendleton, or some other prominent democrat, and cry out "monopoly," "Standard Oil Company," etc. We think that the democracy of Ohio would have done themselves greater honor, and their party greater service, by the election of Mr Thurman. He is the ablest man in Ohio, and one of the ablest in the country When Mr. Pendleton joined with the corporation attorneys of the country, and aided in putting one of their number, Stanley Matthews, on the Supreme Bench, against the protest of the democracy of the nation, he sounded the knell of his own defeat Mr Payne was chosen in his stead It is charged that corrupt influences were used. If so, they overdid the matter for Mr Payne had 17 of a majority in the democratic caucus Besides, if corrupt means were used, why not have the rogues punished, as the laws of Ohio are very stringent against bribery? Again, Mr. Payne is charged with being a Standard Oil Company representative. The Standard Oil Payne happens to be another man—a son of the senator-elect It is authoritatively stated that the latter does not now, nor never has owned a single share in the Standard Oil Company. He is not, and never has been the attorney for that corporation, as has been stated by the republican press. A Cleveland gentleman is authority for the following concerning the affairs of Mr Payne: "When Nathan, eldest son, arrived at his majority, he was given $100,000 by his father, and told to take care of himself. He embarked in the coal business, founded the firm of Payne, Newton & Co, and has, at the age of forty-five, become a moderately wealthy man. His father has had nothing to do with his son's coal business, and has not even been accused of it in the papers. When Oliver became of age, he, too, was provided with capital by his father, and set out to paddle his own canoe. He chose the oil business, and, by good tact and industry, has worked his way up to be treasurer of the Standard Oil Company. His father has had nothing to do with oil, and knows nothing of the affairs of the company" Fred. Wallace, a retired lawyer, once Mr Payne's secretary, says: "It is a queer fashion in the Payne family, that not one of them has anything to do with the other's business affairs. Henry B. laid it down as a household law that each tub must stand on its own bottom, and while their social intercourse has been very close, the business interests of the three men have been as separate as though they were strangers. They are not even stockholders in the same concerns, and bank at different banks, or did when I was more familiar with their affairs, and, I suppose, do to this day." Mr. Payne no doubt had the influence of his sons in securing his election. This is natural and proper. No one can say aught against his integrity, or private character, or that he is not fully in accord in principle with the Ohio democratic platform

THE picture of Gen. Oglesby, that will be circulated to-day, is a pretty big boom for so new a recruit to the G. A R.

PEORIA wants the democratic state convention, to show her new hotel It might be a good thing to go there for a change.

KEIFER has some difficulty in explaining his nepotism to his associates in congress. But Keifer never was considered smart.

"THE VETERAN" is the name of a very handsomely gotten up and ably edited monthly, published at Springfield, Ill, by Messrs. D. L Ambrose, R. V Mallory, and Capt. Wilcox. It is a four column quarto, handsomely printed, and devoted to the interests of the Grand Army of the Republic, and the association of "Sons of Veterans" It is a very interesting journal, and worthy the patronage and perusal of every old soldier, and son of a soldier in the country.

Niantic Notes.

Mr A F Smith, of the State Sentinel addressed a large and attentive audience at the Town Hall on Friday night, upon the subject of temperance. He briefly sketched the condition of the temperance cause, and then denied the assertion that distilleries do not create a real, but a factitious demand for corn, and that the farmer would realize a better price without the distilleries than with them He is also of the opinion that at a time like this intelligent voters should break the bonds of party prejudice, and instead of voting for a name and its associations vote for a principle The M E church of this village, will begin a revival meeting about the 3d of next month We are informed that a gentleman from Indiana will conduct the services

Mr Elias Ford is making preparations to move into his new and elegant residence

Dame Rumor has ever been accounted a most prying old party, and she discovers the most jealously kept secrets in the most incomprehensible ways Just now she is busily engaged in arranging the names of a young gentleman, of this place and a young lady, residing a little less than a thousand miles from Niantic in an altogether new relation Glad to hear it. We would go to the young man, and, with much rhetoric, extend our hand and offer congratulations, but we know his modest and retiring nature, and will refrain Yes verily,

He loved, and blushed and oft did say
His pretty oath, by You, and Nay

J W Jones, our tax collector, reports business very good in that line. There is some complaint about the amount of tax levied this year.

Mr Alonzo Hall, who for the past two months has been attending a medical school in St Louis, will return to-day. Mr Herschl Knupp who accompanied him, returned a short time since, on account of ill health Thos Hobson, who purchased S. W Whiteside's residence and lots, will take possession March 1st Mr Whiteside will remove to Harristown. He contemplates a trip to Tennessee in the spring

Jan 28, '84 PIC SPERO.

AN INFANT SMOKER.

A Springfield (O.) Youngster Who Has Averaged Fifteen Cigars a Day Since the Age of Fourteen Months.

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A German boy three years of age lives with his father who keeps a saloon on East Main street. Yesterday the little fellow was seen puffing away at a huge black cigar, with all the nonchalence of the most habitual smoker. The little boy's father, John Spangenberger, on the subject being mentioned to him, seemed proud of his son's accomplishment, and stated the following story "When the boy was an infant in arms, fourteen months old, a cigar was given him in fun by one of the customers in the saloon. Instead of growing deathly sick, and dropping it, the little fellow clutched it with his fingers and seemed to enjoy it, smoking it to the very end. From that first cigar his taste for smoking commenced. Every day the child cries for cigars. The taste seemed to take such a terrific hold on the baby's appetite that he was soon smoking all the time—one cigar after another until he reached the appalling number of twenty per day. Nothing else would pacify him, and he would cry bitterly when not allowed his twenty cigars per day. Though we could see no evil effects from the use of the weed, we grew alarmed and called a physician, who made a minute examination of the little fellow and, finding no evil results from the use of the tobacco, told us that the habit would do the child no harm. Reassured by this statement, we allowed free rein to our child's appetite, and he has been a habitual smoker from that day to this. Pipes, cigars, cigarettes, everything of a smoking nature that fell in his way, were eagerly consumed. He commenced to chew also, but this second habit was promptly prohibited by me."

The boy is now in kilt suits, and will be four years old on the 27th of next February. His habit attracts unbounded amusement and admiration from the patrons of his father's saloon, and many are the cigars which fall to his share from customers, who desire to see him smoke. For the past four months he has only averaged from ten to twelve cigars per day, and smokes slowly and seems to enjoy it hugely. His parents claim that the habit has cured him of a chronic diarrhea, with which he had been afflicted from birth. The boy is a fat, chunky little fellow of pronounced German appearance. He seems of a lively, jolly disposition, and betrays not the least trace of nervousness. The parents attribute his obesity to the smoking, as he avoids all fat food in eating, and never drinks wine or beer. He will only smoke one particular brand of cigars, and it is extremely amusing to see him toddle down in the morning before breakfast and demand a cigar from his pa. This obtained, he will light it with the most profound gravity and puff away with the air of a man of fifty. His brothers and sisters show not the least disposition toward tobacco.

—The first Jewish settlers in New York were twenty-seven exiles, banished from Bahia, in Brazil, on the general expulsion of the Jews from that Kingdom, who came to New York in 1654 as the nearest place of refuge. After fifty years they comprised but 100 persons, and for 170 years had but one synagogue. To-day there are thirty-one synagogues in New York, and the Jewish population is estimated at 80,000.—

New West for January

We have just received from Jas. F. Aglar, General agent Union Pacific Rail Road, St. Louis, a copy of this really valuable publication. The New West is published in Denver, and in the future will be published monthly. This edition is rich in valuable statistics and information, not only in relation to Colorada, but the whole Great West, principally Wyoming and Idaho The latter Territory is now being opened up by the New Oregon Short Line of the Union Pacific Rail Road which runs through the center of the same and passes through the best mining, farming and grazing lands in the world.

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The House Committee On Accounts Finds Evidence of Ex-Speaker Keifer's Flagrant Nepotism.

Representative E. W. M. Mackey, of South Carolina, Stricken Down—Biographical.

Both Houses Promptly Adjourn Out of Respect to His Memory—Presidential Talk.

General Capital Gossip.

KEIFER'S BAD POSITION.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The sub-committee of the House Committee on Accounts, which has been investigating Keifer for several weeks past, closed the taking of testimony yesterday, and will submit the evidence to the full committee to-day. The sub-committee has found that Keifer did remove one of the stenographers of the House to appoint his nephew at a time when no work was required. The Democratic members of the sub-committee believe that Keifer has not told the truth about this case, and will so report. It was rumored about the capitol that the committee would report a resolution in favor of Keifer's expulsion. Another report was that the committee was preparing a resolution of censure. Neither of these reports appear to be true. The committee will probably content itself with reporting the facts to the House and let it decide what is to be done. There is no report that can be made from the House Committee on Accounts that can injure Keifer in the estimation of either the Democrats or Republicans. There is, however, some petty evidence of details concerning this family arrangement which will disgust some and amuse others. The committee has, however, taken no evidence to show that Keifer was personally benefited by the appointment of his nephew.

General Singleton, the Democratic ex-member of Congress from Illinois, says that there is a great deal of feeling among the Illinois Democrats, occasioned by the rival booms of Morrison and McDonald. He thinks these two candidates will be strong enough to destroy each other by the time the Convention meets, and that the Democrats will have to go east for their candidates. If this is done, he knows no better man than Senator Bayard. He believes the Republicans will nominate Arthur, as he is informed that Conkling and Grant have made up their minds to help him in the State of New York. He believes that Robert Lincoln is the strongest man the Republicans have in the West.

None of those interested in securing a renomination for President Arthur are doing anything in the West beyond ascertaining how he will be received as the second choice in States having local candidates, but are directing their entire attention to New York and Ohio. It is believed here that Conkling would not have attended the Union League reception in honor of the President if the harmonious relations between them were not again established. Ohio and New York are regarded as the two great factors in the next great National contest.

The Democratic Senators held a caucus Monday to decide upon their policy regarding Mr. Sherman's resolution for an investigation of the Virginia and Mississippi election outrages, and to select Democratic members of the new Committees on Fisheries and Expenditures of Public Moneys. After discussing Mr. Sherman's resolution for three hours, it was decided to allow circumstances to govern party action when the resolution should come up. If the Republican Senators should treat the alleged outrages as proven and should attempt to charge the Democratic party with the responsibility, it was decided that the Democratic Senators should accept the issue and enter actively into debate. If the Republicans did not force the issue, the Democrats would allow them to have the debate mainly to themselves. No action was taken as to the members of the new committees.

It is understood that the committee of the Senate Republican caucus has selected Senator Lapham, of New York, for chairman of the new Committee on Fisheries, and Senator Wilson, of Iowa, for the chairmanship of the new Committee on Expenditures of Public Moneys. Senator Bowen will probably succeed Senator Wilson as chairman of the Committee on Mines and Mining.

Representative Edmund W. D. Mackey, of South Carolina, died yesterday morning. He was born in Charleston, S. C., in 1846; was appointed Assistant Assessor of Internal Revenue in 1865, and studied law at this time. He took a prominent part in the work of reconstruction; was delegate to the Constitutional Convention; Sheriff, Alderman, and in 1873 was sent to the Legislature. He served two years in Congress, and in 1876 was again sent to the Legislature and elected Speaker; was a delegate to the National Republican Conventions at Philadelphia in 1872 and Chicago in 1880. He was also United States District Attorney from 1878 to 1881. He was elected to the XLVIIth Congress and his seat contested, but he won and was seated in 1882, and re-elected to the XLVIIIth Congress.

The House Committee delegated to take charge of the funeral arrangements consist of Messrs. Pettibone, O'Hara, Davis (Mo.), Hemphill, Bisbee and Willis. The Senate Committee to attend the funeral consists of Senators Butler, Pendleton and Hill.

The charges aginst Governor Murray, of Utah, respecting irregularities in his office while United States Marshal of Kentucky, were considered by the House committee investigating expenditures in the Department of Justice. George R. Case, the predecessor of Brewster Cameron, testified that reports in the Department of Justice sustained the charges. It was decided to summon Representative White, of Kentucky, to explain the basis of his remarks in the House last Monday reflecting upon Governor Murray. The committee expects, after hearing Mr. White, either to give Governor Murray an opportunity to testify in his own behalf, or to report that the records in the Department of Justice show that the charges are sustained and recommend that he answer to the department.

Governor Murray has telegraphed from Utah his readiness to meet the charges. His friends declare that the Morrison ring is largely responsible for the attempt to cloud Murray's reputation. In answer to this it is shown that all that has been laid before the committee consists of special agents' reports made to the Attorney-General several years ago when the Governor was unknown to the Morrison ring. The Governor has never answered these reports, and, according to the testimony of Chase, the special agent who made the report, he was protected from prosecution by political influence.

A good deal of gossip has been occasioned here by the size and character of the bill rendered by Sergeant-at-Arms Leedom, for the expenses of the funeral of Congressman Haskell. The accounts brought in foot up a total of $3,561, which exceeds the famous Hawk funeral of last year. Among the items are $201 for a lunch before starting from here, notwithstanding the fact that the party stopped at Harrisburg for dinner. Another large item is for carriage hire at cities where they stopped; others for cigars, newspapers, etc. It is understood that a resolution asking for an investigation will be offered in the House, which makes it very interesting for Mr. Leedom.

There is a widespread feeling among the members of the English peerage in favor of large investments in land in this country. The Earl of Athol, who was here about a year ago, bought 100,000 acres in Texas and New Mexico. The Earl of Denslow, who was in Washington two or three weeks ago, said that he, too, had bought a large tract in the Southwest. These purchases are for long-time investments. None of them expect any return from their money under the next twenty or thirty years. They have no idea of going ahead to improve their lands themselves, but expect their investments to pay them through the development of the country. These English gentlemen say that they now believe thoroughly in the stability of this country and that there is no place in the world where investments are so safe.

Mackey's Postal Telegraph Company has sent an agent here to propose to take the task of building a postal telegraph line out of the hands of the Government and build a line at its own expense that the post-office can use as freely as if Senator Edmunds' plans should be carried out. It agrees to build the trunk lines between the East and West, North and South, connecting first with all the principal cities and then with every town that has two thousand inhabitants and over. It will establish its own offices in all these places, and will place a connection in each place with the postoffices, where an instrument and operator will also be stationed. The company also agrees to carry all kinds of messages, whether long or short, at the uniform rate of one-half cent a word. All the company asks of the Government is to agree to sell the telegraphic stamps of the company and that the stamps shall be devised and manufactured by the Government, which is to deduct from the sales the cost of making and handling the stamps, which are to be used upon messages as they are now on letters. A message of 100 words, for instance, will require a fifty-cent stamp, and the stamping of the message will afford the company the means of estimating correctly its receipts without a complicated system of book-keeping. The Postal Telegraph Company ask the Government to sell these stamps as a guaranty for their receiving enough business to warrant the outlay in extending their present system.

The sub-committee of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, which has been considering the Chinese Immigration bill prepared by the Pacific Coast delegation, has concluded its work, and expects to make a report to the full committee at once. Messrs. Lamb and Eaton will submit a majority report recommending that the bill prepared by the delegation and introduced by Mr. Henley be reported to the House. Representative Rice will make a minority report adverse to the report. The grounds of his opposition are that it proposes to add a number of vexatious and troublesome amendments to the law already sufficiently obnoxious, and that there is no necessity of the enactment of additional legislation on the subject at this time. He objects to the proposed bill because under its provisions the Chinese subjects of other Governments than that of China will be shut out of this country, and this action might involve the United States in entanglements with other powers. He thinks the provision which proposes to make the master of a vessel who might violate the law through ignorance subject to a severe penalty altogether too harsh, and expresses the opinion that Congress has other and more important work to attend to now than enacting laws for emergencies not yet arisen.

The Chinese New Year was celebrated at the Chinese Legation Monday night by a grand reception given by Ching Tsao Ju, the Chinese Minister.

The annual charity ball was held Monday night. President Arthur, all the Supreme Court Justices, Speaker Carlisle and a number of Congressmen were present.

SENATE.

Messrs. Sherman and Pendleton each presented resolutions from wool-growers in Ohio, praying for the restoration of the former duty on wool. Referred to the Committee on Finance. Mr. Hoar, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported the original bill relating to the enforcement of the law in Utah. He said he did not himself favor that clause of the bill which requires the exclusion of women from suffrage in that Territory. A message was received announcing the death of Congressman Mackey, of South Carolina. The Senate, after the appointment of a committee on its part to attend the funeral, adjourned.

HOUSE.

As soon as the journal of the house was read yesterday morning announcement of the death of Congressman E. W. M. Mackey, of South Carolina, was made. The customary resolution was then adopted, and the House adjourned as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased member.

Iowa.

DES MOINES, Jan. 29.—The session of the House was comparatively dull, one or two minor measures having made their final passage. In the Senate there was a brush over the proposition to have the Appropriations Committee report the amount needed for State institutions by February 10. The Donnan Temperance bill came up, and Senator Eastman moved a substitute, and after a skirmish the matter was made the special order for the second day after adjournment to visit the State institutions, which matter has not yet been fixed.

Garrett Buys Up a Telegraph Company.

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., Jan. 29.—The entire capital stock of the National Telegraph Company, $1,000,000 par value, was sold Monday to Robert Garrett & Sons, who represent the Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph Company. The line runs between Weehawken and Buffalo along the West Shore Road, and from Buffalo to Grand Crossing, on the line of the Nickel-Plate. It has four wires already strung, and additional wires have been ordered. It is the intention to open it up to general business.

The Forged Morey Letter.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—In the trial suit of "Josh" Hart, publisher of *Truth*, against George Alfred Townsend, the New York correspondent of the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, claiming $20,000 damages for libel, Hart testified that *Truth* contained an attack on Garfield, even after the General denied the authenticity of the Morey Chinese-labor letter, because the Democratic National Committee continued its assurances of the letter's authenticity.

Decapitated.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—James McBride, an oiler in the engine-room of the Brooklyn and East River Bridge, was caught in a fly-wheel yesterday morning and killed.

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Excitement in Wall Street.

GOULD STILL A POWER.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Last week operators were whispering that Gould was on the verge of bankruptcy, that his purchasing power was exhausted, and that as a manipulator he was no longer to be feared. Yesterday with a single stroke Gould gave a terrible exhibition of his power, and those who the day before were calculating how long it would be before he would fall under the load he was carrying were jealously watching his footsteps and nursing the wounds he had indicted.

It was a day of most extraordinary interest. Again the Villard securities blazed forth into prominence. As they were the cause of the long period of depression, they have now been made the lever by which the entire market will be sustained. It is seldom that there has been witnessed such wide fluctuation in values as were experienced by the Villard securities. Oregon Navigation, which on Saturday closed at 85@88, and which last week sold as low as 78½, opened at 87, ran up with astonishing rapidity to 110, and then, declining, closed at 95@98. Northern Pacific preferred opened at 41½, advanced to 49½, and closed at 47¾@47½. Oregon Improvement opened at 44½, advanced to 51, and closed at 47 asked. Oregon Transcontinental was least affected, opening at 20½, advancing to 23, and closing at 21½@21⅝. The whole market was strengthened by the extraordinary advance in the ex-Villards, and the closing prices were 13¼@13¾ higher than those on Saturday.

The cause of this advance was an arrangement made Saturday by which the Oregon Transcontinental was relieved of its pressing liabilities. Horace White, treasurer of both the Oregon Navigation and Oregon Transcontinental, has authorized the following as the correct statement of the agreement:

The Oregon Transcontinental has sold to a syndicate 10,000 shares of Oregon Navigation stock at 75, 3,000 shares of Northern Pacific preferred at 36, and 30,000 shares of the Northern Pacific common at 16. By this sale it realizes $2,310,000. The company also borrows from the same syndicate for six months $1,200,000, depositing as collateral 20,000 shares of Oregon Railway and Navigation at 60. This gives the company $3,510,000 and relieves it of all pressing liabilities.

The syndicate affording this aid to the Oregon Transcontinental is composed of Jay Gould, Russell Sage, Cyrus W. Field and others of the Gould party, and Drexel, Morgan & Co. and A. J. Drexel personally. The most important feature of the agreement is that the members pledged themselves not to dispose of their stock except by consent of the other members. This takes out of the street nearly all of the floating stock, and makes the securities very scarce. Horace White admitted that the result of yesterday's deal was practically to put Oregon Navigation in the hands of Jay Gould for six months. The effect of the arrangement on the Northern Pacific remains to be seen. It will probably take its control from the Oregon Transcontinental.

A. O. U. W. in Iowa.

WATERLOO, Ia., Jan. 29.—The trial of the case to determine which of the two Grand Lodges of the Ancient Order of United Workmen of Iowa was entitled to be recognized under the article of incorporation of that State as the legitimate body, terminated at Waterloo on Saturday. The trial lasted eleven days, able counsel appearing on either side. As none but legal questions were involved, Judge Utt, presiding, directed the jury to render a verdict for the friends of the Supreme Lodge side of the Order. In 1882 the Grand Lodge of Iowa, having previously become incorporated under the laws of that State, passed resolutions of secession, after having its charter surpended by the Supreme Lodge officers. A minority of that body dissented from this action, and, reorganized as a Grand Lodge, were recognized by the Supreme Lodge as the only legitimate body of the Order in Iowa, and claimed that they thereby succeeded to all the franchises of the corporation. The decision of the court was that the Order of Ancient Order of United Workmen is a fraternal organization, and that the mere act of the incorporation of any of its subordinate bodies did not absolve the latter from allegiance, in all respects, to the Supreme Lodge as the representative of the order at large. The effect of the decision is to place all the property and franchises of the seceding Grand Lodge in the possession of the loyal Grand Lodge, recognized as such by the Supreme Lodge, of which William R. Graham, of Cedar Falls, is Grand Master Workman.

Illinois Republicans.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Hon. A. M. Jones, Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, will issue a call to-day for a meeting of that body at the Grand Pacific Hotel, Chicago, February 12, to decide upon the time and place of holding the next State Convention. Peoria and Springfield are making great efforts to gain the prize, but the chances are in favor of the capital.

Carpenter's Case.

LINCOLN, Ill., Jan. 29.—Upon petition of his attorneys Monday O. A. Carpenter was permitted to have bedding and certain furniture placed in his cell. The prisoner pleaded not guilty to the indictment, and motions by the defense to quash that document, and that the State elect upon which count it would proceed, were quashed. The trial was set for February 5.

They Like Our Patent Laws.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 29.—A deputation from the Ontario Manufacturers' and Millers' Association has arrived here to present a memorial to the Minister of Agriculture regarding the proposed amendments to the Canadian patent laws. The memorialists ask that the American patent system be adopted entirely.

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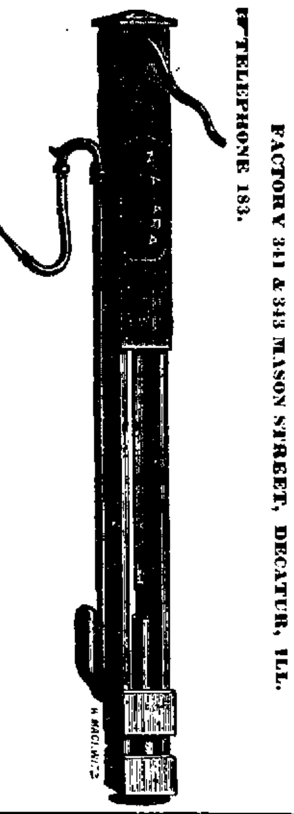

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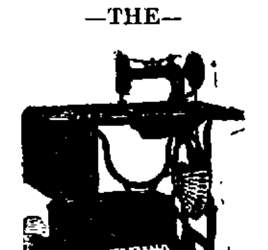

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Miscellaneous Intelligence.

SATURDAY'S HURRICANE.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The loss of life by Saturday's storm is now estimated at more than a hundred. The ship Juno, for Calcutta, was thrown on her beams-ends and foundered in the Mersey Saturday evening, and all hands, twenty-five in number, were lost. Many barges were also sunk in the Mersey, and some twenty lives lost. The Austrian bark Cyiet was driven ashore at Land's End and wrecked. All of the crew save the Captain and one sailor managed to reach land. Many minor casualties are reported from the channel and the North Sea, but telegraphic service is now so poor that full particulars will not be learned for several days to come, though as the restoration of communication progresses fresh disasters are reported. The mail steamer Tillet returned to Plymouth in a disabled condition, having encountered a terrific gale 123 miles southwest of the Eddystone light. The breakwater at Port Erin, Isle of Man, which cost £70,000 was entirely destroyed. Dimilith's wire factory, near Widnes, was demolished, buildings, engines, boilers and machinery being left a mere mass of ruins. In Ireland the Letterkenny railway train was overturned, but no lives were lost, though ten persons were seriously injured. Near Londonderry sixty yards of the embankment of the Northern Railway were swept away and the mail train had a narrow escape.

Herbert Gladstone, the junior lord of the treasury and son of the Prime Minister, in a speech at the opening of the Liberal Club, near Bradford, referred joyfully to the proposed reform of the county Government in England, and said he hoped it would be extended to Ireland. The Government, he said, meant to extend the franchise in Ireland, and also intended to reform the county Government in that country, and hoped, though perhaps later in the coming session, that Parliament would deal with an actual form of administration for Ireland.

MADRID, Jan. 29.—The Spanish government has grown tired of the Republican opposition and begun an active campaign against the leaders of that party. Castellar's organ, El Globo, was seized Monday, and all the belongings confiscated. Orders have been issued for the arrest of any one making anti-dynastic speeches or toasts, and the Republicans who attempt to commemorate the proclamation of the republic of 1873 will be arrested.

BERLIN, Jan. 29.—Five thousand persons participated in the funeral services over the remains of Herr Lasker in Berlin Monday. Among those present were the President and Nice, President of the Reichstag, ex-Ministers Bernuth, Camphausen and Delbrueck, the municipal and town councillors of Berlin and the leaders of the Conservative and Clerical parties. Students of Berlin University officiated as the guard of honor. After the services Dr. Franke, the Chief Rabbi, delivered an oration on the dead statesman's life. He was followed by Dr. Friedrich Kapp, who closed by depositing a wreath on the coffin. The body was then conveyed to the cemetery. The various clubs of workmen and others defiled past the open grave and deposited wreaths at the side of the tomb.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—In the Chamber of Deputies Monday, Prime Minister Ferry, replying to questions as to the Government's policy toward the working classes, said that the present labor crisis was confined to Paris, and was due to the high rates of wages. France could not close her frontiers against foreign workmen so long as Frenchmen were allowed to work in foreign countries. He thought that something should be done to induce the idle workingmen now in Paris to go to the country rather than to sustain them in idleness by alms.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The long-expected sculling match between Bubear and Elliott for £400 a side, on the Thames, over the "full championship course," four miles four hundred and forty yards, came off yesterday. The result was a complete defeat for Elliott and a great surprise for everybody except Bubear and the new favorite's enthusiastic friends. Many now regard the winner as the coming champion of the world. After an easy start on both sides, Elliott led to Itosenbeck, a mile and a half from Putney. Bubear then gained the lead and kept it to the end, winning easily by four lengths. The winner's time was thirty minutes thirty-eight seconds. The race between Wallace Ross and Bubear, over the same course, at which the former is to give his adversary six lengths' start, is to come off shortly. Bubear has improved wonderfully during the past year, and with his splendid achievement of yesterday to guide public opinion, it is expected that he will easily beat Ross at such great odds.

CAIRO, Jan. 29.—It is stated that General Gordon, before his departure for Soudan, telegraphed to Colonel Coetlogon, the commander at Khartoum, to send a trusty messenger to El Mahdi, and ordering Coetlegon to suspend operations until Gordon's arrival. Six hundred men left Cairo yesterday for Suakim.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—A second exploring party descended into the mine in the Rhodidda Valley, in Wales, the scene of Sunday's explosion, but was forced to retreat by noxious gas. The workings are a complete wreck, and sixty-eight horses are killed. No trace has been found of the first party of explorers, three in number, including the manager of the colliery. The disaster throws 1,000 men out of employment.

A Candidate for New's Place.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 29.—Hon. Augustus D. Lynch, of this city, has gone to Washington in the hope of succeeding John C. New as First Assistant-Secretary of the Treasury. Lynch has been engaged in the banking business in this city, and, until the recent reorganization of the First National Bank, was its President. The Indiana delegation in Congress will urge his appointment upon the President on the ground that the place properly belongs to this State. Lynch carried with him New's resignation, which will be formally presented by Congressman Shelby.

Earthquake Shocks.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 29.—Three distinct shocks of earthquake were felt in Rothesay Sunday night.

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LATE NEWS ITEMS.

The Gloucester fishing schooner G. W. Stetson, carrying a crew of twelve, is missing.

James Alexander, millinery, New York, is insolvent. He gave preferences for $200,000.

The Virginia House has passed the joint resolution asking Senator Mahone to resign.

The bill for the repeal of the test oath will be subjected to a severe scrutiny in the Senate.

The Atlantic & North Carolina Road will be sold at auction next Monday to satisfy executions.

The Albany iron-works at Troy, N. Y., resumed work Monday, giving employment to 1,500 men.

The net earnings of the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad for 1883 were $1,488,019, an increase of $78,149.

Petmecky, the murderer of Mrs. Frotzheim, was sentenced Monday at Auburn, N. Y., to be hanged March 21.

A bar-tender at Marengo, Ind., was shot dead by a commercial traveler for asking payment for a glass of liquor.

Judge John I. Campbell, for many years partner of the late Samuel T. Glover, of Missouri, died at Rushville, Ill., Monday.

Several duck and cotton mills in New England have begun running on half-time until the market for their products improves.

Major William Myers, one of the earliest settlers of Dubuque, Ia., died Sunday evening. He went there from Missouri in 1834.

The bodies of the Jeannette victims have reached Moscow, where the American residents placed flowers and wreaths on the biers.

Arrangements are being made for the establishment in Chicago of a Presbyterian church in which the services will be held in the Gaelic tongue.

About twenty leading ladies and gentlemen of Boston met Monday and made arrangements for the establishment of a crematory in that city.

A party of fifty-five Apache children have started from Arizona for the training school at Carlisle, Pa., accompanied by Agent Wilcox and four chiefs.

Martin Sellers, twenty-four years old, committed suicide at Kendallville, Ind., rather than appear as a witness in the Cain murder trial at Albion.

A man named Webb, in a difficulty with the three Wilburn brothers in Jackson County, Ala., killed two of them and mortally wounded the third.

The collapse of the roof of the Jesuit College at Carrion De Los Condes, Spain, Monday, seriously injured a priest, a workman and thirteen pupils.

A huge boiler in the Newberne (N. C.) gas-works exploded Tuesday, went through the roof, and fell back near its original position without killing any body.

According to the Iron & Steel Association reports the total production of pig-iron in this country during the year ended December 31, 1883, was 5,146,972 tons.

Sam Medary, who lately resigned the paymastership of the Hamilton & Dayton Road, is said to have lost $25,000 or more at faro, for which sum he is a defaulter.

The Brigham Young Academy, a Mormon school at Prova, Utah, in which were four hundred students, burned Sunday night. There were many narrow escapes.

At Rosita, Col., early Monday morning John Gray and Frank Williams, the murderers of Orin Kartz, were taken from jail by masked men and hanged to the rafters of a log shanty.

Dr. D. E. Salmon, of the Bureau of Agriculture, who is now in Chicago, has sent a competent man to Mexico, Mo., to investigate the mysterious cattle disease in a herd in that vicinity.

It is reported that Colonel George B. Corkhill, late District Attorney, will soon take up his residence at Keokuk, Ia., his old home, with the expectation of running next fall for Congress.

The safe in the post-office at Harrow, Ont., was on Sunday blown open and robbed of $280 in cash and stamps. The burglars were soon arrested, and all the property was recovered.

The funeral of ex-Governor Letcher, of Virginia, took place at Richmond Monday. The procession was very large, and included many officials and students from Lee and Washington Universities.

The official lists of the awards of the London Fishery Commissioners show that United States exhibitors head the list with forty-nine gold, forty-seven silver and twenty-seven bronze medals.

Students, under the leadership of priests, attacked an Englishman and a native at Astorma, Spain, Sunday, because they were distributing Bibles. The police remained inactive watchers of the commotion.

The commercial agency of R. G. Dun & Co., at St. Louis, was damaged by fire Sunday to the amount of $10,000. The records of Wisconsin were destroyed, and those of Nebraska, Kansas and Texas slightly damaged.

Judge Barrett, of the Brooklyn (N. Y.) Supreme Court, has decided that under the penal code of New York State there is no such an offense as assault and battery. It is claimed that this will release all persons confined for that crime.

Tilden G. Abbott, cashier of the Union Market Bank at Watertown, Mass., has absconded with $31,160 belonging to the institution, leaving behind him a wife and four children. The bank will not open for business this morning.

In the Sharon divorce case at San Francisco, the indictments for forgery against Aggie Hill and W. M. Neilson were set aside Monday, and the Grand Jurors were committed for contempt in refusing to answer questions by the court.

Troisville Sykes will to-day be arraigned in New Orleans for the murder of the notorious Kate Townsend. As he had conveyed away certain property of his victim, Judge Houston ordered the Sheriff to take possession of the entire estate.

Ex-Governor Foster is authority for the statement that President Arthur could not carry Ohio. Ex-Secretary Evarts is reported to have said that the candidate most likely to carry New York is some one outside of that State, although he believes the real battle is to be fought in that Commonwealth.

A bride of a month, from Marinette, Wis., slipped out a sleeping-car near Milwaukee with sixty-five dollars of her husband's money and disappeared, leaving with the porter a note threatening to kill the bridegroom should he follow her. She is thought to have eloped with a railway employe who had paid her attention.

John Ray, a wealthy farmer living near Lafayette, Ind., who disappeared in Chicago seventeen years ago and was supposed to have been murdered, turned up at his old home a few days ago. From the facts that the courts declared him dead and settled his estate, the lawyers are somewhat botogged regarding his legal status.

Died at the Age of 108.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—Mrs. Ann Dalton, aged one hundred and eight years, was buried here Sunday. She was born in Ireland and has a daughter living aged eighty-eight years.

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BURNED TO DEATH.

The Horrible Fate Which Befell Several People in Different Localities—The Fire Record.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 29.—Charles Reschka, a fireman employed in the Mutual Gas-Works, rushed out of the engine room at three o'clock Saturday morning completely enveloped in flames. He rolled over and over in the snow until his shrieks brought other employes to the rescue. Before the flames were put out he was horribly burned, and has since died at his home in this city. It was supposed to be an accident until when a brother of the deceased complained to the police that Reschka quarreled with another employe named Heintz, and the latter threw a bucket of naphtha over him. The naphtha immediately caught fire from the heat of the furnace, near which Reschka stood, and blazed up, with the result stated. Heintz admits doing so, but says he was in fun. Reschka threw an old boot at him, and he retorted by throwing the naphtha, which then accidentally caught fire. The Coroner has not decided whether to order Heintz under arrest.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 29.—Andrew Mango, four years old, while poking shavings into a stove at his home on Guthrie street, set fire to his clothing and expired after horribly suffering for an hour. He was the last of five children, the others dying within a short time of diphtheria. The mother became a raving maniac when the little one died. The father was absent from home.

ELKHORN, Wis., Jan. 29.—At four o'clock Sunday afternoon, Julia, the six-year-old daughter of Martin North, took a lamp and went into the cellar to get some apples. The lamp was overturned, setting her clothes on fire. She ran out screaming, but the family were in a distant part of the house and did not hear her. The child ran to the well to get water, but fell as she reached it. Her clothing was entirely consumed and she was horribly burned. A few minutes later she was discovered by the family. She managed to tell how the accident occurred, and then became unconscious, dying a few hours later.

LITTLE ROCK, Jan. 29.—A fire in Hope, Ark., Sunday night destroyed Barge's dry goods store and several other business houses in the same block. Loss, $60,000, insurance, $20,000.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 29.—The stores of B S. Miner and T. H Fairchild, at Sturgeon Bay, were burned Sunday night, involving a loss in each case of between $8,000 and $9,000. The family of Miner lived over the store, and barely escaped with their lives.

Free-Thinkers' Convention.

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—The New England Free-Thinkers' Convention formed an association with by-laws demanding that churches shall not be exempt from taxation; that the judicial oath be abolished, that all laws enforcing the observance of the Sabbath and Christian morality be repealed; that the Bible be removed from the public schools, and that Government aid be refused to sectarian schools.

The Profits Must Be Enormous.

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 29.—Hughes & Cathcart have been awarded the pool privilege for the two meetings of the Latonia Jockey Club at Covington at their bid of $26,250. Last year when $18,000 was bid it was thought to be a high amount.

THE MARKETS.

Flour, Grain and Provisions.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.

FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged. Winter Wheat Flour, $5.00@5.00; Spring, $4.50@5.50, low grades, $2.25@3.25; Patents, $5.50@6.25; Rye Flour, $4.00@4.25; Buckwheat Flour, $5.00@6.00.

WHEAT—Active and unsettled. No. 2 Spring, 91¼c; No. 3, 76@80c; No. 2 Red, 98@99c; No. 3 Red, 89@90c; No. 2 Wheat seller February, 90⅝@91c, May, 97⅝@98⅝c.

CORN—Active but prices ruled easier. No. 2, 52¼@52½c cash, 52¼@52⅜c seller January; 52½@52⅝c seller February, 52¾@53c seller March, and 57⅝@58⅜c seller May. High Mixed, 52½@52½c, Rejected, 44@44½c.

OATS—Prices ruled easier. No 2, 32@32¼c cash, 32¼@32½c seller January, 32¼@32⅜c seller February, 32½@32⅝c seller March, and 38½@38¾c seller May; Rejected quiet.

RYE—Firm and ½c higher for near futures, but no better for May delivery. No 2 cash or seller February, 58c March 58½c, May, 63½@64c.

BARLEY—Demand fair and market firm. No. 2 cash or seller February, 61c, No 3, 50@51c; No. 4 48c.

MESS PORK—Active, but prices easier. Quotations ranged at $15.50@15.60 cash or seller January, $15.55@15.62½ seller February; $15.55@15.80 seller March, and $15.85@15.97½ seller May.

LARD—Prices ruled easier, ranging at $8.90@8.95 cash or seller January; $8.85@8.87½ seller February, $9.00@9.07½ seller March, and $9.22½@9.25 seller May.

BUTTER—Market steady. Creamery, good to fancy, 28@35c; Dairy, good to fancy, 16@28c.

CHEESE—Market quiet. Full Cream Cheddar, good to fine, 10@10½c; Skimmed Cheddar, 6@6c.

EGGS—Market easier at 32@33c for strictly fresh.

NEW YORK, Jan 29.

FLOUR—Steady, but only moderately active.

WHEAT—Opened ½@¾c lower, but later ruled stronger and recovered most of the decline. No. 1 White, nominal; No. 2 Red February, $1.05¾@1.06, March, $1.07⅞@1.08⅛, April, $1.10⅜@1.10⅞; May, $1.12⅝@1.13⅛; June, $1.13⅝@1.13⅞.

CORN—¼@⅜c lower, and rather quiet. Mixed Western spot, 59@62c, futures, 60½@65⅜c.

OATS—⅛@¼c lower. Western, 39@45c.

PROVISIONS—Beef quiet and steady; New Extra $12.50@13.00. Pork quiet and firm; spot New Mess, $15.00@15.25. Lard quiet and steady; steam-rendered, $9.37½.

BUTTER—Quiet and rather steady; Western, 19@37c; Elgin Creamery, 39@40c.

CHEESE—Firm at 5¾@14c.

EGGS—Western firm at 41@42c.

DETROIT, Jan. 29.

FLOUR—Quiet. Michigan White Wheat, choice, $4.75@4.90; roller process, $5.25@5.50, patents, $6.00@6.25; Minnesota patents, $7.25@7.50.

WHEAT—No. 1 White, $1.03½@1.03¾, No 2 do, 99½@99c; No 1 White seller February, $1.03½@1.04, March, $1.04½@1.05½; May, $1.08 1.08½.

CORN—No 2, 55½@56c; do for May, 59c; new Mixed, 52c.

OATS—No. 2, 38½@39c; No. 2 White, 39¼@40c.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 29.

WHEAT—Quiet and firm. No. 1 White $1.06; No 2 do, 98c; No. 2 Red cash, 98½c@$1.01; January or February, 98½c; March, $1.01; May, $1.05¼; No. 3 Red, 87@91c; Rejected, 66@68c.

CORN—Dull and easier. No. 2 cash or January, 51½c; February, 51¾c; May, 58c; Rejected, 51½@52c, No Grade, 47@47½c.

OATS—Firm and dull No 2, 48c asked; No. 2 cash or January, 36@38c, May, 38c asked.

Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.

CATTLE—Market rather quiet Quotations ranged at $4.75@6.75 for common to extra native steers, $3.25@4.25 for stockers; $4.15@4.75 for feeders; $3.00@4.25 for cows, and $4.50@5.00 for butchers steers.

HOGS—Market only moderately active and weak, and prices about 10c lower Sales ranged at $5.40@6.00 for light; $5.55@5.95 for rough packing, and $6.00@6.50 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 29.

CATTLE—All except good heavy steers slow and weak; native steers, $4.75@6.00; feeders, $3.25@4.25; cows, $3.00@4.00.

HOGS—Weaker and lower; lots, $5.60@6.25; mainly $5.90@6.10.

SHEEP—Good, steady at $3.50@4.25.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Jan. 29.

CATTLE—Dull and slow, but prices 15@25c higher than last week.

HOGS—Slow; Philadelphias, $6.50@6.70; Yorkers, $6.75@6.80.

SHEEP—In fair demand and unchanged.

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AN UN-COMMON-SENSE MATCH.

[Continued From Yesterday's Daily.]

"I'm sure I don't know," replied mother, composedly stirring another handful of meal into the boiling mush which was to be the piece de resistance of our evening meal.

"He has come for a wife."

"A wife! I did not know he was acquainted around here.

"He isn't. He wants me to recommend him to some girl who is strong, able, and willing to work, knows how to run a house and [hesitating a little as he saw the contemptuous curve of my mother's nose and mouth]—and I've spoken-about-Jane."

"Squire Black!" exclaimed mother, emphasizing her words still further by a dash of the pudding stick which sent the mush flying over the stove.

Jane was a farmer's daughter who worked for us summers and went home winters to help do up the spinning, weaving and the like.

A mutually satisfactory agreement, as Jane's services were more needed at home in the winter than in the summer, and mother thereby saved the board and wages of a girl during the winter when the work was not so heavy. Moreover, mother often said that Jane put the work ahead so when she was there that she could not keep her busy the year round.

Ah, help was help in those days. But to return to our kitchen. Father had changed his position, getting a little out of the way of another charge from the mush-pot, where the beating was going on vigorously.

After a pause he began again:

"Well, ma, Jane is not bound to marry Joe unless she wants to. But perhaps she'll never get another chance as good. You know yourself that any one of Aunt Anna's boys is bound to make a good man and a smart one.

"None too smart if he thinks to get a wife this way," snapped out mother.

"Let him try; ma, if he wants to; let him try. It won't hurt him to have the conceit taken out of him."

No reply, but the mush was stirred as never mush before. Another pause.

"You know, ma, Jane has been keeping company with that trifling Dan Marcy."

"Why doesn't he marry a girl who knows him if he wants to get married?" sourly inquired mother; but the pudding stick relaxed its vigor slightly and father ventured a little nearer the speaker.

"He says the girls up there are all squaws, and down by his mother's they have too high notions."

"Well, it's a heathenish, Frenchified way of courting a wife," replied mother, "and if he were to come about me that way, if I were Jane, I'd empty a bucket of water over him."

"May-be she will, may-be she will," chuckled father, who probably would have enjoyed that termination of the affair as well as any.

"But, ma, you know Jane is terribly homely, and——

What further he would have said was cut short by the entrance of Joe bearing a jar and a package.

"Mother sent these to you with her compliments, Mrs Black."

Mother, who knew the flavor of Aunt Anna's cheese and honey of old, was somewhat mollified by these presents, but she remained rather sulky all evening, even when Joe filled her wood-box, piling the sticks as evenly as lath in a bundle, filled the water-pails, cut the kindling, and did the milking, bringing the pail in as clean, she condescended to tell him, as she would herself or—but she checked herself and did not say "or Jane."

She would be no party to that iniquity.

He nearly won her when he repeated his text promptly and correctly and knelt reverently at prayers, and she told father "he was a likely young man, but"—her lips shut close, and she shook her head when she thought of his mission.

But before morning the sky cleared, and things were hurried around for an early start to Jane's.

During the ride it was arranged that father was to introduce Joe's errand to the elders, and if they were willing Joe might thereafter proceed as he liked.

So upon our reaching the farm father and Mr. Holton left Joe and the boys to put out the team, and they came to the house and held a conference with Mrs. Holton while Jane was busy building the fire in the best room.

The "best room" of an old-fashioned farm-house was dreary enough. This one had a bright yarn carpet, several split-bottomed and wooden chairs with patchwork cushions, a low-backed rocking-chair, a wooden "settee," a table with the Bible, Baxter's "Call to the Unconverted," an almanac, and a file of the *Christian Era*. A few silhouettes and prints from magazines were on the walls; but, after all, its only ornaments were the scrupulous cleanliness and its big fire-place.

Jane bustled in and out on household and hospitable cares intent, being given by general consent some opportunity for acquaintance and a chance to see and be seen before being told our errand.

You already know what she saw. What did Joe see?

Jane was, as father had said, undeniably homely.

She was tall and angular. Her feet and hands were large. Her hair was a trifle too red for auburn and not yellow enough for gold. "Carroty" is the proper description.

Her light complexion was freckled, but her cheeks would have shamed the roses. Her eyes were gray; her nose had grown very long, and then, as if wishing to make amends for that mishap, had shaped itself into a decided pug. Her mouth was large and always smiling, and smiling showed what was Jane's only beauty—a set of as regular and nice white teeth as ever came from a dentist's hands.

Her dress was of blue flannel, every thread spun and woven by herself.

The hour or two until dinner was spent in viewing and discussing the stock, in telling the scanty news, and in talking over "Uncle Tom's Cabin," which was then appearing as a seriel, in all of which Joe took his part sensibly and modestly.

At noon we were summoned to an excellent and bountiful farm dinner. It was quite evident that by this time Jane had been informed of our errand, for from perfect unconsciousness she became suddenly preoccupied, nervous and blushing. Joe enjoyed his dinner and did ample justice to it.

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" 5, Fast Mail ..... 8:20 p m
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Going West ..... 10:40 p m

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" 44, Chicago Mail ..... 12:20 p m

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No. 47, St. Louis Express ..... 4:01 a m
" 45, St. Louis Mail ..... 3:20 p m

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GOING WEST.

No. 47, St. Louis Express ..... 4:00 a m
" 43, Fast Line ..... 5:15 a m
" 45, Fast Mail ..... 3:22 p m

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No. 48, Chicago Express ..... 12:15 a m
" 44, Atlantic Express ..... 11:55 p m
" 42, Lightning Express ..... 10:40 p m
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Arrive from East ..... 10:00 a m
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Freight ..... 2:25 p m
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Passenger ..... 7:00 a m
Passenger ..... 3:50 p m
Freight ..... 10:45 a m
Through Freight ..... 6:00 p m

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GOING NORTH.

Passenger ..... 6:00 a m
Accommodation ..... 3:00 p m
Freight ..... 4:00 p m

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger ..... 5:30 p m
Accommodation ..... 10:10 a
Freight ..... 9:30 a

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GOING EAST.

Mail and Express arrives at ..... 11:50 p m
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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 30, 1884.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

$3.00 shoes for $2.50 at J. W. BAKER'S. j23tf

Oysters served in any style at Wood Bros. d 2w

Pike Shooting Gallery, Prairie street, opposite postoffice. 28wl*

Dollie Millikin Friday evening. The sale of seats begins this morning.

Dry stove wood, cord wood and chunks at McClelland's, Telephone 21. j8dtf

This morning the sale of seats begins at Curtis & Co's for the Dollie Millikin concert.

Men's, Women's, and Children's Arctic over shoes at—BARBER & BAKER'S. d18d&wtf

There will be a reception at the tabernacle this evening, for the Grand Army boys.

Mt. Olive and hard coal of all sizes in full supply at McClelland's, opposite postoffice j8dtf.

The saloons must expect to meet some of the G. A. R. boys, judging from the way the bars have been decorated.

Our people should not fail to hear the celebrated Mrs. Annie Whittemeyer, at the tabernacle on Thursday evening.

By the use of Buckingham's Dye, the whiskers may be easily made a permanent, natural brown, or black, as desired. d&w1w

W. F. Bushor & Co., shoe dealers, have the best counters for 50 cents, $1.00 and $2.00 shoes in Decatur. Call and see them. j25dw

Mr. Jesse Hedrick sold some property at the Silas Ford sale near Niantic, and will load cars to-day, preparatory to removing to Niantic.

The Wabash accommodation from St. Louis, due here at 9:40 did not arrive here until nearly one o'clock a. m., on account of the engine "dying" on the road.

Perry Roberts, of Arcola, was fined a hundred dollars and costs in the United States Court at Springfield, on Monday, for illegally retailing liquor.

Emerson's concert company appears at the opera house again this evening His bugle calls are immense, and will remind the G. A. R. boys of active service.

Besides the concert, the Emerson's will produce a little sketch, entitled "A day in camp in 1862," introducing war songs, bugle calls, etc., which will cause the old soldiers heart to beat with joy.

Yesterday's State Register contained the following item: "Gov. Hamilton went to Chicago last night. He will be in Decatur on Wednesday and Thursday, and try to rattle old Dick's bones a little.

Quantity in medicine is no indication of value. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is concentrated and powerful; requires a smaller dose, and is more effective, dose for dose, than other Sarsaparilla, It is the best of all blood medicines. d&w1w

Mike Sullivan, a Wabash brakeman on train No. 77, had his right arm seriously bruised yesterday, while making a coupling at Cerro Gordo. He caught it between the "deadwoods." Drs. Chenoweth attended to his injuries.

Thomas J. Hasgis, the Niantic constable, shot himself through the second and third fingers of his left hand yesterday, with a revolver of 32 calibre. He was in Trainer's hardware store at the time, and thought the weapon was not loaded.

Abel & Locke are daily receiving and opening new goods,—carpets, wall papers, and everything in that line. They wish it understood that they cannot be beaten in prices or quality of goods in legitimate trade. Call and see them. jan 30dw

Silas Ford held a public sale at his residence three miles northwest of Niantic, yesterday. T. A. Pritchett, of this city, acted as auctioneer, and succeeded in securing good prices for every article offered for sale. Mr. Ford intends to remove to Niantic.

Young Payne, Crookshank and Donahue, the three lads arrested under the suspicion of firing the barn of Samuel McRoberts, east of this city, were placed under fifty dollar bonds yesterday, which they succeeded in giving for their appearance on Friday. Green, another of the six boys charged with firing the barn, is in jail.

Things are looking dark for O. A. Carpenter, who is under indictment at Lincoln for the murder of Zura Burns. On Monday afternoon he was arraigned before Judge Herdman and his counsel applied for better prison fare at the hands of the sheriff and the liberty to talk privately with his attorneys. The judge promptly overruled the first application, saying that he would have to be content with the food provided for prisoners, and what luxuries he was indulged in, are to be governed by the sheriff who has the prisoner in charge. His watch was taken from him, and he has been put on a level with common prisoners, Carpenter's attorney, Mr. Beach, then moved to quash the indictments, charging him with the murder. The judge then overruled that motion, and the state attorney then moved that the case be set for trial, and upon this motion Judge Herdman set the trial for Tuesday, February 5th, When Carpenter was arraigned, the court room was crowded with spectators, who seemed well pleased with Judge Herdman's ruling. Carpenter appeared haggard and care-worn, and listened intently to the rulings of the court.

2.50 shoes for $2.00 at J. W BAKER'S. j23tf

"Peck's Bad Boy" will be here on Monday night. Every boy in town that has heard of him, and who has not, will want a ticket.

D. M. Ferry & Co., seedmen and florists, have our thanks for a package of flower and vegetable seeds, and also for a copy of their valuable Seed Annual for 1884. This reliable firm always put up first-class seeds. For catalogue, address D. M. Ferry & Co., Detroit, Mich.

MARRIED.

McCORMICK—KOONTZ—At the residence of the bride's parents, corner of Wood and Webster streets, by Rev. T. W. Pinkerton, Mr. John W. McCormick and Miss Kate Koontz.

The ceremony was witnessed by a number of relatives, friends and neighbors, who extended hearty congratulations to the happy couple. A splendid supper was served, and all enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent. The bride and groom received many very handsome and useful presents, and now enter upon the duties of life in their new relation, with the best wishes of hosts of friends, whose confidence and esteem they enjoy.

The Emerson Concert Company.

This celebrated company appeared to a fair audience at the opera house last night, with a good programme, which they rendered to the entire satisfaction of all present, eliciting admiration and approbation which found hearty expression in frequent encores and vociferous applause. Many members on the programme were unusually fine, and received very high encomiums from competent critics. The company will give another entertainment this evening—an evidence of merit in itself, for were it not a meritorious company, and its performances worthy of patronage, they would not be billed for a second entertainment.

A Communication.

EDITORS REVIEW:—In an article that appeared in the Herald of January 23d, in regard to P. C. Haffey being a wife beater, etc., etc., etc., I have this to say in reply. I have been a married man for ten years and have never struck my wife a blow, and as for turning them out of the house in the cold, poorly clad, it is false, and as for securing a divorce or trying to secure a divorce, I pronounce that statement absolutely false. The statement that I tried to take Mr. Ward's life or threatened him, is as untrue as the other statements above mentioned, as are, in fact, all of the charges published by the Herald. Will the Herald please state what kind of business Mr. Ward established me in, and how many times I broke up and was re-established by him? If the Herald is so well posted, I would like to be informed. I did not beat my wife, neither did I turn her out in the cold poorly clad, nor did Mr. Ward ever establish me in business of any kind, and my wife is not living with Mr. Ward, but with *me*. I wish the Herald to understand it, and not to be in such a hurry to grasp at items, and give them to the public as the truth, when they are false. One word more. The reason why Mr. Ward never established me in business, is that he never had money enough to establish himself in business, let alone spending a fortune on his son-in-law. Furthermore, I wish the public to distinctly understand that I was not arrested, neither was I put in jail, notwithstanding the report of the Herald. Now Mr. Herald reporter do try and secure the facts in any case before you publish them as true, and it will not only confer a favor on me, but on the public generally.

P. C. HAFFEY.

PERSONAL.

Miss Dora Race, of Pana, is visiting her cousins in this city.

Miss Cora Chambers is just recovering from an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Miss Sina Corcoran, of Lovington, is in the city on a visit to her cousin, Mrs. George Ruckles.

Geo. W. Bacon died at Moawequa, on Monday. He was formerly of the firm of Bacon & Saxon.

Judge Cloyd, of Bement, was in the city yesterday for a short time. He was on his way to Maroa.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Barnes entertained the William street Social Club at their residence last evening.

Sylvester Crebbs, wife, and daughter, left last evening for Baltimore, where they will visit for a few weeks.

Constable Jach McWhinney and Tom Cook are in charge of the jury in the Griffin-Robinson murder case.

General Winfield Scott Hancock and wife passed through the city the other evening in a special car en route for New York.

James Cable, esq., of Chicago, formerly of New Orleans, was in the city on Monday night, the guest of Hon. T. H. Abel and family. Mr. Cable is a relation of Mrs. Abel, and a nephew of the late Isaac Boardman of Wheatland township.

The Decatur Stage.

THE WORLD.

The Buffalo Express says: "The World, is proving a strong attraction at the Adelphi. There was a crowded house at the performance last evening. The play presented by J. Z. Little's Company is full of spirit and the unprecedented scenic effects add to its attractiveness." The company appears here Thursday evening. Prices 50, 75 cents and $1.00.

DOLLIE MILLIKIN'S CONCERT.

This accomplished young lady, who has numerous friends anxious to prove their appreciation of her talent in a substantial manner, will give a concert at the opera house, on Friday evening. She will be ably assisted by Mrs. Helen J. Jefferson, of Terre Haute and Miss Mamie T. Cross, of Weber's Music hall, of Chicago, besides other first-class musical talent. Popular prices.

THE BOYS IN BLUE.

Items Relating to the Department Encampment which begins To-Day.

DECATUR, ILL., Jan. 29, 1884.

The Eighteenth Annual Encampment Department of Illinois G. A. R. will be called to order at 11 o'clock sharp at the tabernacle, Wednesday, Jan. 30, 1884. By order of the Department Commander.

J. L. BENNETT,
Asst. Adjt. Gen'l.

Rally 'round the flag, boys.

The Ottawa Post is at the Deming.

Elmira Post No. 37, is quartered at the St. Nicholas.

Inspector James E. Jewett, of Post 117, is in the city.

Post No. 146, of Bloomington, is quartered at the New Deming.

Will Andress is acting as assistant clerk at the St. Nicholas, during the encampment.

The delegates from Chicago arrive this morning in two special Pullman cars.

Between three and four thousand visitors and delegates are expected to day and to-morrow.

Will the Oglesby and Hamilton men be here? asked an old federal jury setter. Most likely.

Colonel J. W. King, of Jacksonville, will spend a couple of days in the city, with the battle scarred veterans.

The headquarters of the department encampment officers are rooms A and C and 72 and 74 at the New Deming.

J. H. Pierse, L. B. Coupland, H M Meredith and Geo. Swinssecl, of Austin Post, No. 276, are at the St. Nicholas.

General Robert B. Heath, of Philadelphia, commander of the National encampment will arrive to-day from Indianapolis.

The delegates and visitors to the encampment, commenced arriving yesterday, and by night a goodly number were in the city.

Comrades Kuhl and Bates came in last night from Pekin. They are the managers of the excursion that will be run to the battle field of Shiloh next April.

From Danville comes Gen. J. C. Black, Mayor L. T. Dickason, Col. W. C. McReynolds, Capt. J. H. Madden, Capt. John Slusser, Col. W. J. Calhoun, and 40 others.

Mr. Banker Funk, Capt. Pullen, Al. Sweitser, Gen. McNulta and the Bloomington people are at the Deming. Last night they kept open house with beans and cider.

Capt. Horace Chapin, of the Illinois State Journal, who has for the past ten years been connected with the G. A. R. organization, is being pressed for Department Commander.

Many comrades assembled in the hotel parlors, at the officers headquarters and at Dunham Post room last evening, where they told war stories and sang songs to their hearts content

Gehrig's Seventh Regiment band, of Pekin, came in last night with the Peoria Post, and on arriving up town discoursed several fine selections. The band ranks with the best in the state.

Hon. D. D. Perry, of Monmouth, is in the city, the guest of Hon. L. L. Haworth and family. Mr. Parry is well and favorably known throughout the state. He will attend the encampment.

Phocion's stentorian, yet melodious tones, were heard in the corridors of the hotels last night. A convention or reunion is not complete without "Phocion," Roadmaster in Chief of Illinois.

From Springfield comes Gen. John A. McClernand, Capt. Horace Chapin, Capt. D. L. Ambrose, Gen. J. N. Reece, Attorney-General McCartney, Adj. Gen. Elliott, W. M. Brewer, post commander, and several others.

The Ladies Relief Corp, of Dunham Post, has secured the use of the council room during the encampment and have decorated it in handsome style, so that it will be a becoming place for the reception of lady visitors.

Among the delegate veterans no one will attract so much attention and be so honored as Jack Stephens, of Chicago. Jack has but one leg, but his hat covers more patriotism and jolly, good humor than any major general.

The Peoria Post arrived last night at midnight, coming in on a special train on the P. D. & E., Department Commander Samuel A. Harper, was with the post, which marched from the depot to the old square, headed by a brass band.

Captain Dan L. Ambrose, the "boy captain of the 7th;" editor of the Veteran, a soldier's paper, is at the St. Nick. If soldiers need a paper, and we suppose they do, Dan's should be well patronized for, it is a model of clean history.

Major McClaughery and the best end of the Joliet penitentiary are here. The major is a candidate for commander. His friends hope he will make a better race than he did for the republican nomination against Col, Frank Marsh in '82.

The following are the present officers of the encampment: Commander, S. A. Harper, Elmwood; Senior Vice Commander, I. S. Taylor, Centalia; Junior V. C., L. T. Dickason, Danville: Chaplain, Rt. Rev. Samuel Fallows, Chicago; Medical Director, L. S. Lambert, Chicago; Ass't Q. M. G., J. L. Richardson, Galesburg; Chief Mustering Officer, P. W. Wilcox, Mendota; Inspector, James E. Jewett, Pekin; Judge Advocate, Thos. A. Boyd, Lewiston; Ass't Adj. Gen., J. L. Bennett, Chicago.

The encampment will convene to-day at the tabernacle, and the session will be held with closed doors, as the business transacted will be of a private nature, except to members of the order. To night a public reception will be held and an address of welcome will be delivered on the part of the city by Mr. W. C. Johns, and for Dunham Post by General R. J. Oglesby. Speeches by other prominent men will follow, and a glorious time is anticipated. The tabernacle has been appropriately decorated for the occasion. To-morrow afternoon will occur the grand street parade, which will be a sight well worth seeing, as there will be several thousand comrades in line.

THE GRIFFIN-ROBINSON MURDER.

Evidence for the Prosecution Heard Yesterday.

The attendance in the circuit court yesterday was much larger than it has been on any previous day, which is owing to the fact that Harry Griffin was on trial for the murder of George Robinson, one of the most peaceable and highly esteemed colored citizens that ever resided in our midst. A large portion of the spectators were colored people, among whom is a vindictive feeling against the accused. The jury was selected on Monday afternoon, and published in yesterday morning's REVIEW, so that everything was in readiness for the hearing of the testimony, when court opened yesterday. States Attorney Johns made the opening statements in the case, charging that Griffin deliberately and wilfully murdered George Robinson one Sunday night last October, and was deserving of the severest penalty of the law. The defendant has entered a plea of not guilty, and his attorney, Hon. W. E. Nelson, stated that the deed was committed in self defense. After the opening statements in the case, the hearing of evidence for the state was commenced, and continued until half past five o'clock, when court adjourned until this morning. There were about ten witnesses examined, the most important ones being Mr. Wm. Price, Mrs. George Robinson, Mr. Harry Patterson, and Officer Reynolds, who arrested Griffin after the shooting occurred. The testimony in the main, as given by the witnesses was very much alike, and the impression prevails that the defense will experience much difficulty in breaking it down. It went to show that the first trouble between Robinson and Griffin, on the night of the shooting, occurred just north of the residence of Mr. Mart Murphy, on South Main street. Here the defendant was struck down by Robinson, who immediately came up town, accompanied by his wife, Mr. Price and a little boy. Griffin soon followed him, and witnesses testify that he asked for the man who struck him, and would not be persuaded from his intention of finding him. As he came upon the Robinson party near the steps leading to the Western Union Telegraph office, Mrs. Robinson asked him to go back. The testimony shows that Robinson was nearer Main street than Griffin, and that the latter was facing west, and at the first report of a revolver, the flash came towards the west. The testimony of Harry Patterson, who was standing in the hallway near the drug store, has an important bearing on the case. It showed that the first two shots were fired towards the west, and that the third was fired by Robinson from the corner of the drug store. Officer Reynolds testified to arresting Griffin, and to his saying that he was the man who shot Robinson. Griffin's revolver was introduced in court, two chambers of which were empty. The one found near Robinson was also introduced, one chamber of it being empty. The prosecution will only examine a few more witnesses, and it is probable that the defense will finish its side of the case in time to allow its going to the jury to-night.

Grand Excursions

Will be run over the Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific and the Kansas City, Ft. Scott and Gulf railroads, on the 5th and 19th of February, to all points in Southwestern Missouri and Southeastern Kansas. The Ft. Scott and Gulf road has recently placed two hundred thousand acres of land on the market, and these excursions will afford a fine opportunity for home seekers as well as capitalists to see the advantages offered for investment.

Excursions will also be run to California, Oregon and Washington Territory, and all Pacific points. Everything connected with these excursions will be first-class, and experienced agents will accompany the party to see that everything possible is done for their comfort and enjoyment, that the trip shall be one of pleasure as well as profit. For maps, circulars, rates, or other information, call on or address

THOMAS BIVINS,
Excursion Agent, Decatur, Ill.

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Horses Wanted.

By E. B. Pratt, 537 North Church street, Decatur, Ill., from Jan. 26th to Feb. 5th. Sound and well broken, weighing from 1,000 to 1,500 pounds. 24d&w1w.

$3.00 shoes for $2.50 at J. W. BAKER'S. j23tf

Camilla Urso.

All holders of course tickets should go to Curtis & Co.'s on Saturday morning, Feb. 2d, and select their seats for the grand concert to be given by Camilla Urso Feb. 7th, being the second entertainment in the Decatur Lecture course. j30d2t

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